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Applicant: Peter Rieth, et al.
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Title: STEERING HANDLE FOR MOTOR VEHICLES AND METHOD FOR RECORDING A PHYSICAL PARAMETER ON A STEERING HANDLE
TC/A.U.: 2612
Examiner: Lam P. Pham
Confirmation No.: 6967
Docket No.: PC10525US

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Respectfully submitted,

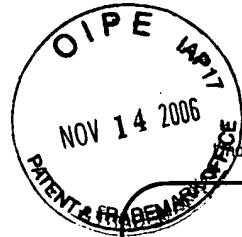
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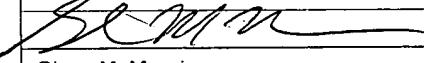
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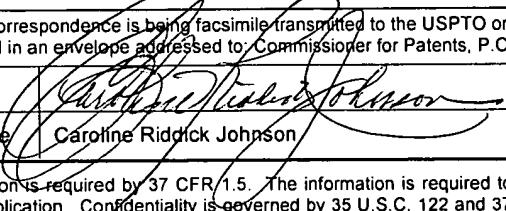
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